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To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: QRP-L digest 3114

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by "David Porter" <aa3ur@comcast.net>
- 19) [161759] RE: TS7N and signing "QRP"

- by "George Osier" <gosier@twcny.rr.com>
- 20) [161760] [161731] Re: VE3DNL and freq. measurement
by "John Farnsworth" <johnfarns@bellsouth.net>
- 21) [161761] RE: more on the artificial ground..
by "AI2Q" <ai2q@adelphia.net>
- 22) [161762] WOW THANKS TO ALL
by "Jerry Ford" <benlightnd13@mchsi.com>
- 23) [161763] Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"
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by "Mike Rioux" <mike@rioux.org>
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- 26) [161766] Re: Elmer 160: web site
by "Joe Martin" <km5cw@wt.net>
- 27) [161767] Re: eBay Scam?
by "William Phinizy" <k6whp@verizon.net>
- 28) [161768] Is there a way?
by Joe Mikuckis <k3chp@rcn.com>
- 29) [161769] Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"
by "Charles Mabbott" <aa8vs@msn.com>
- 30) [161770] Elmer 160: web site
by "n2cx" <n2cx@voicenet.com>
- 31) [161771] Re: Is there a way?
by "Bob Hightower" <rhightower@cox.net>
- 32) [161772] Is there a way?
by "Rod N0RC" <rc7039-hr@yahoo.com>
- 33) [161773] Re: Is there a way?
by "Joe Martin" <km5cw@wt.net>
- 34) [161774] Re: SW+ RIT mod
by Mark Fields <mark_ke5my@juno.com>
- 35) [161775] Re: Is there a way?
by "Joe Roof" <jroof@mindspring.com>
- 36) [161776] F.S. MFJ 259-B
by "Dale Parfitt" <par@parelectronics.com>
- 37) [161777] Re: SW+ RIT mod
by "sjolin" <sjolin@swbell.net>
- 38) [161778] Re: SW+ RIT mod
by "Thomas Lewis" <thomas_h_lewis@msn.com>
- 39) [161779] Re: Is there a way
by Michael Pupeza <mpupeza@sympatico.ca>
- 40) [161780] Changing Impedence:Update
by kenneth hoglund <hoglund@wfu.edu>
- 41) [161781] 10 cell AA battery holder source:
by brewerj@squared.com
- 42) [161782] Re: Is there a way?
by KD5NWA <KD5NWA@cbayona.com>
- 43) [161783] Re: SW+ RIT mod

by Steve.Lawrence@ITWFEG.COM

44) [161784] Re: Is there a way?
by "Bob Baxter" <rbaxter@cybertrails.com>

45) [161785] Is there a way? - Yes, sort of
by "John Shannon" <jsk3wwp@alltel.net>

46) [161786] Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"
by "Tony Martin W4FOA" <w4foa@comcast.net>

47) [161787] Re: SW+ RIT mod
by "Dave Benson" <nn1g@earthlink.net>

48) [161788] Re: 10 cell AA battery holder source:
by tjmc <tjmc@erols.com>

49) [161789] FOX HUNT Nov. 25th -- N1FN and =?ISO-8859-1?Q?W=D8PWE?=
by "Jerry Hall" <lugehall@hotmail.com>

50) [161790] Re: Z-11 Discontinued
by "Marshall Emm" <mgemm@mtechnologies.com>

51) [161791] Re: SW+ RIT mod
by Stephen Wandling <stephen@SwiftsureConsulting.com>

52) [161792] Educational Materials -- Propagation
by "Brian.Buydens@usask.ca" <buydens@duke.usask.ca>

53) [161793] Truffles and Foxii
by "Jerry Ford" <benlightnd13@mchsi.com>

54) [161794] WANTED: Bencher BY-1
by WAYNE SMITH <k8ff@juno.com>

55) [161795] Re: Elmer 160: Time to get to work
by "Brian Riley (maillist)" <n1bq_list@wulfdn.org>

56) [161796] RE: Is there a way? - Yes, sort of
by "Paul Ermisch" <paul@ermisch.com>

57) [161797] Re: Educational Materials -- Propagation
by "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>

58) [161798] Re: SW+ RIT mod
by "Jerry Hall" <lugehall@hotmail.com>

59) [161799] de F2MA QRP
by Marv Fagenson <k6hcj@juno.com>

60) [161800] marker generator for sale
by "JBCrafts" <jbcraft@adelphia.net>

61) [161801] IC-706 Questions
by Stephen Wandling <stephen@SwiftsureConsulting.com>

62) [161802] Re: IC-706 Questions
by "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>

63) [161803] Monday.
by "David J. Adams" <david@theadamsclan.com>

64) [161804] Re: IC-706 Questions
by Stephen Wandling <stephen@SwiftsureConsulting.com>

65) [161805] Re: ITEMS FOR SALE!!!!!!! RADIO and NON RADIO
by G Brandon Hoyt <preacher102677@juno.com>

66) [161806] RE: Monday.
by "Paul Womble" <pwomble@earthlink.net>

67) [161807] FS/T: Argonaut 509 w/accessories

by "NZ8J" <nz8j@woh.rr.com>

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 17:55:50 -0600
From: Bud Rogers <budr@netride.net>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161741] Re: eBay Scam?
Message-ID: <200311231755.50433.budr@netride.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="windows-1252"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline

On Sunday 23 November 2003 17:45, William Phinizy wrote:
> ..wasn't there a thread here a month ago or so about e-mails
> informing people that there eBay account had expired?
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If you still have it, forward to spoof@ebay.com, preferably with
headers intact.

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Bud Rogers <budr@netride.net> KD5SZ

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 17:50:01 -0600
From: "Jerry Ford" <benlightnd13@mchsi.com>
To: "qrp-l" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161742] SW+ RIT mod
Message-ID: <005c01c3b21c\$82c23560\$4a78da0c@mchsi.com>

OK, so I should having saved it or copyed it. But I didn't so
can someone steer me to the info on the RIT mod for the SW series
rigs..??????/

I appreciate it !!

73 Jerry N0JRN
FP # 546, 4SQR, ARS # 923, ARCI # 11049, ARRL,
Springfield, Mo. MP + #8
<http://home.mchsi.com/~n0jrn>

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 00:37:13 +0000
From: M Taylor <mctylr@privacy.nb.ca>
To: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>
Cc: QRP-L <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161743] Re: Elmer 160: web site
Message-ID: <20031124003713.B11201@pull.privacy.nb.ca>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Disposition: inline

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> <http://www.amqrp.org/elmer160>

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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 19:42:11 -0500
From: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>
To: "QRP-L" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Cc: "M Taylor" <mctylr@privacy.nb.ca>
Subject: [161744] Re: Elmer 160: web site
Message-ID: <020101c3b223\$cc5f8f40\$090044c0@BrianBoru>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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72/73 de WB8RCR <http://www.qsl.net/wb8rcr>
didileydadidah QRP-L #1446 Code Warriors #35

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From: "M Taylor" <mctylr@privacy.nb.ca>
To: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>
Cc: "QRP-L" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>

Sent: Sunday, November 23, 2003 7:37 PM
Subject: Re: Elmer 160: web site

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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 19:43:47 -0500 (EST)
From: Doug Faunt N6TQS +1-510-655-8604 <faunt@panix.com>
To: JamesDuffey@comcast.net
Cc: khyberpass65@yahoo.com, gosier@twcnny.rr.com, qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [161745] Re: [161716] Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"
Message-ID: <200311240043.hA00h1906049@panix3.panix.com>

Hi all,

My experience is that most DXpeditioners really like to work QRP stations. It means they're getting out, and hearing well, so it's validation that everything is working, including the op. Even the ones who don't say they like it, also don't think it slows things down noticeably. The same is true of mobile stations, BTW.

Personally, adding QRP to the call isn't going to slow things down nearly as much as a PSK31 or SSTV QSO.

I've done this survey on several DXpeditions, including 3D2CI, K1B, S05X, TZ6RD. Me, I love hearing QRPers.

Note that one of the goals of the TS7N trip was "to serve the novices in US and Japan".

That being said, remember, during a pileup, they know their own call, and don't want to hear it from you more than once during the QSO, and preferably never. They want as few prosigns as necessary, and only want to hear "599" once, also.

OTOH, if and only if, they're "lonely" (calling CQ a lot), then a very little chat is fine, like "thanks for the new one", or "you're 20 over here", or "you just put me on the honor roll", or even "who's the good op?"

73, doug

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 13:33:06 -0700
From: "James R. Duffey" <JamesDuffey@comcast.net>

Gene and Carrie - Most DXpedition ops are there to make the most contacts they can. They don't like to have any exchanges any longer than necessary. Thus they usually do not like to hear callers sign /QRP. It adds to the length of hte QSO. On short DXpeditions or those very rare ones, the additional time a /QRP on every QRP station they worked would add up to several QSOs that they could have made and didn't because of hte additional time a /QRP cost.

It doesn't pay to upset the DXpedition op since he is the one that eventually determines whether or not you will receive a confirmation.

I personally think that signing /QRP is a request for special treatment. I don't operate QRP to get special treatment, I operate it for the challenge.

There are other ways of making your call stand out from the rest. delaying the start of calling a second. increasing or decreasing your keying weighting slightly, and having a good antenna all work. /QRP does as well, but it is not usually appreciated by the op at the other end. - Dr. Megacycle KK6MC/5

James R. Duffey KK6MC/5
Cedar Crest NM 87009 DM65

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 17:46:08 -0700
From: "James R. Duffey" <JamesDuffey@comcast.net>
To: <rjohnson390@comcast.net>
Cc: QRP-L <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161746] Re: VE3DNL marker generator kit
Message-ID: <BBE6A2DF.FA97%JamesDuffey@comcast.net>
Mime-version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit

Rich - Good question.

While we refer to a 10 kHz marker, we are actually using the harmonics of the 10 kHz signal that are spaced 10 kHz apart. These marker signals are quite loud in the ham bands and are used in the ham bands. My VE3DNL marker generator puts out usable signals in the 6 M band, although they are not overpowering. - Dr. Megacycle KK6MC/5

James R. Duffey KK6MC/5
Cedar Crest NM 87009 DM65

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 17:52:29 -0700
From: "Chris Trask" <chistrask@earthlink.net>
To: <k6whp@verizon.net>,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161747] Re: eBay Scam?
Message-ID: <00f201c3b225\$3e4be080\$d5024bab@default>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="Windows-1252"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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I got one last week claiming that I had to reenter all information regarding my Earthlink billing. The headers showed that it came from an address other than Earthlink. I sent the whole thing with headers to fraud@earthlink.net. In general, if you get something like this and the return email address or the senders address is not from the ISP, suspect fraud.

Chris

/ ,-----. / What's all this \ / extinct stuff, anyhow? / \ _ / oo\ (__)\	High Performance Mixers and Amplifiers for RF Communications Chris Trask / N7ZWY Principal Engineer Sonoran Radio Research P.O. Box 25240
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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 19:59:44 -0500
From: sergio <sergio@village-buzz.com>
To: qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [161749] more info on my station..
Message-ID: <5.2.1.1.0.20031123194930.032ac0f0@mail.neobright.net>
Mime-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain; x-avg-checked=avg-ok-457592A; charset=us-ascii;
format=flowed

thanks everyone for all your help so far..

i have a few people who have asked for gaps in the information... so i will
give you the whole skinny..

starting from the beginning...

power supply - hwa-7-1

it is grounded (i.e. it has a ground pin on the plug.) this power supply is
plugged into a power strip with a few other things.. all just wall warts
for other gear..

the power strip is a surge suppressor.. and it ways it is grounded.. the
ground light is on...

i checked the connection to the ground pin in the wall to the ground pin on
the rig, and there is continuity. i did the same for the body of the rig.
it appears that everything is in order...

on the back of the hw-8 i have small piece of rg-58a/u (about 1') the
connects the rig to the tuner..

the tuner is a zm-2. i popped it open to see if there was anything
obviously wrong with it, but it all looks okay. i have this connected to
radio (bnc) connector.. i checked continuity between the ground pin in the
plug and the faceplate of the zm-2 and there is continuity..

attached to the zm-2 at the antenna lug (the binding post, i have a random
wire.. about 30 feet up, and about 40 feet long.. it goes out the window,
up the side of he house, and to a tree across the yard..

the ground lug is connected to the mfj-931..

it is connected by a piece of wire about 1' long..

the counterpoise is a 12' piece of wire that is connected to the
counterpoise connector, and laying across the floor..

thanks for all your advice, guys..

peace,
sergio
www.village-buzz.com - read my sexy blog!
www.coffee-black.com - photography....
<http://www.coffee-black.com/join.htm> <-- Join Picture of the Day!

phone ... 419 606 0557

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 20:05:34 -0500
From: David Hinerman <WD8CIV@worldnet.att.net>
To: qrp-l@lehigh.edu
Subject: [161750] Re: VE3DNL marker generator kit
Message-ID: <5.1.1.6.1.20031123200246.00b1f7f8@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

At 02:23 PM 11/23/2003 -0800, you wrote:
>Please tell me why a low frequency frequency markers are useful?
>They are to low in frequency to be in the HF bands the way i see it so how
>are they used to calibrate radios?

Rich,

Harmonics. A 100 kHz digital signal will have energy at just about every harmonic of 100 kHz up through the high HF range.

Dave

Dave Hinerman
WD8CIV@att.net

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 20:07:44 -0500
From: "Tim Kass" <timkass@hotmail.com>
To: mctylr@privacy.nb.ca, qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [161751] Re: Elmer 160: web site
Message-ID: <BAY2-F137CS8XJTjAg800004403@hotmail.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; format=flowed

Cant access here either, server down perhaps... Tim K8WBL

>From: M Taylor <mctylr@privacy.nb.ca>
>Reply-To: mctylr@privacy.nb.ca
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online games and music with a high-speed Internet connection! Prices start at less than \$1 a day average. <https://broadband.msn.com> (Prices may vary by service area.)

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 20:08:46 -0500
From: "Brian Riley (maillist)" <n1bq_list@wulfden.org>
To: <mctylr@privacy.nb.ca>,
Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>,
Subject: [161752] Re: Elmer 160: web site
Message-ID: <BBE6C44E.19E9E%n1bq_list@wulfden.org>
Mime-version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
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I have noticed that it seems to go away almost every Sunday evening for several hours.

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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 19:28:54 -0600
From: "Joe Martin" <km5cw@wt.net>
To: "QRP" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161753] Re: Elmer 160: web site
Message-ID: <003101c3b22a\$5365d8e0\$2e4cd6d0@JoesHome1>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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Surprise"

that Doug has been dangling in front of us all week.

73 de KM5CW, Joe

ARCI #11368 FP#-697 FISTS#4217

GRID EM13kf FtWorth,Tx

32:49:31N 97:06:13W

(<http://web.wt.net/~km5cw>)

----- Original Message -----

From: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Sent: Sunday, November 23, 2003 6:42 PM
Subject: Re: Elmer 160: web site

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> 72/73 de WB8RCR <http://www.qsl.net/wb8rcr>

> didileydadidah QRP-L #1446 Code Warriors #35

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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 20:43:24 -0500
From: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161754] Re: Elmer 160: web site
Message-ID: <024201c3b22c\$5a40b0c0\$090044c0@BrianBoru>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
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now, but that guy does have amazing endurance.

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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 19:57:41 -0600
From: "Joe Martin" <km5cw@wt.net>
To: "QRP" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161755] Re: Elmer 160: web site
Message-ID: <006e01c3b22e\$58b45980\$2e4cd6d0@JoesHome1>
MIME-Version: 1.0
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I hope George is working on "the project", I have sent him 4 emails this week at several of his email address's about the DDS kit and haven't heard from him so that tells me he is a busy bee, whatever it is he is doing will no doubt be great for all of us.

73 de KM5CW, Joe
ARCI #11368 FP#-697 FISTS#4217
GRID EM13kf FtWorth,Tx
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(<http://web.wt.net/~km5cw>)

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----- Original Message -----

From: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Sent: Sunday, November 23, 2003 7:43 PM
Subject: Re: Elmer 160: web site

> ----- Original Message -----

> From: "Joe Martin"

> Subject: Re: Elmer 160: web site

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> 72/73 de WB8RCR <http://www.qsl.net/wb8rcr>

> didileydadidah QRP-L #1446 Code Warriors #35
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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 19:02:33 -0700
From: "James R. Duffey" <JamesDuffey@comcast.net>
To: <sergio@village-buzz.com>
Cc: QRP-L <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161756] Re: more info on my station..
Message-ID: <BBE6B4C9.FAA4%JamesDuffey@comcast.net>
Mime-version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit

Sergio - Do you have the problem when operating the station from a battery and disconnected from the AC main? You may have the AC ground competing with the RF ground.

This will draw groans from the UL bunch, but you might try isolating the station from AC ground by using a three prong to 2 prong AC adapter on the PS. Alternately, you might wind the DC supply line from the PS to the rig around a ferrite core so that the station is not grounded at RF through the AC line. You might also want to wrap the AC cord from the PS around a ferrite core as well.

Another trick would be to lengthen or shorten the wire you are using to see if the problem is still there. - Dr. Megacycle KK6MC

James R. Duffey KK6MC/5
Cedar Crest NM 87009 DM65

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 21:39:45 -0500
From: Brad Thompson <Brad.Thompson@valley.net>
To: "Chris Trask" <chistrask@earthlink.net>,
 "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161757] Re: eBay Scam?
Message-ID: <5.0.2.1.2.20031123213522.01feaa20@pop3.norton.antivirus>
Mime-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

Hello--

...And also watch out for messages purporting to originate from various banks or private investigators working for same. These typically request account information or whether you "...had an account between the years...". Responding will get your name on a spam (or scam) list. I forward copies of these with headers to the security office of whichever bank allegedly originated the mailing.

Your basic ISP or commercial service provider may not care enough to follow up, but maybe if a major bank gets seriously annoyed the spammers will feel real heat.

73--

Brad AA1IP

At 05:52 PM 11/23/2003 -0700, Chris Trask wrote:

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> > ..wasn't there a thread here a month ago or so about e-mails
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> > informing people that their eBay account had expired?

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> > Just checking. I got one today but did NOT respond.

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> I got one last week claiming that I had to reenter all information
> regarding my Earthlink billing. The headers showed that it came from an
> address other than Earthlink. I sent the whole thing with headers to
> fraud@earthlink.net. In general, if you get something like this and the
> return email address or the senders address is not from the ISP, suspect
> fraud.
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>Chris

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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 21:44:16 -0500
From: "David Porter" <aa3ur@comcast.net>
To: <km5cw@wt.net>,
      "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161758] RE: Elmer 160: web site
Message-ID: <NGBBICPOCLKMGIBGGBEAEENOEBAA.aa3ur@comcast.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
      charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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I'm not absolutely certain, but at the last NJQRP meeting, I remember him saying that he would be leaving for China shortly after the meeting. I assume he is either still there or on his way back.

Dave, AA3UR

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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 21:49:30 -0500
From: "George Osier" <gosier@twcnny.rr.com>
To: "QRP-L" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161759] RE: TS7N and signing "QRP"
Message-ID: <002001c3b235$955b3820$74883a18@twcnny.rr.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
      charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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73s

George Osier , N2JNZ / QRP

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 22:13:14 -0500
From: "John Farnsworth" <johnfarns@bellsouth.net>
To: <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161760] [161731] Re: VE3DNL and freq. measurement
Message-ID: <DIEHLGHLBGPNJENLGEBKMELPCBAA.johnfarns@bellsouth.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

> Yes he does. I wonder if the 20 MHz TCX0 is more stable than the
>crystal? Since you set the frequency with a voltage divider it must be
>VERY voltage sensitive.

> Does anyone know how stable these devices are?

I know. I bought one of Diz's standards and was skeptical as well because of the voltage divider, etc. but it turned out to be really stable. I put it into ch. a of a scope and a HP gps disciplined 10MHz reference (10e-12 stability) into ch. b. There is a few hz drift at turn-on, and that's about it. Once warmed up and set to 10.000 it stays there all day, mine does anyway, within about 1 or 2 Hz. The warmup drift is much lower than my DDS generator that uses a 120MHz crystal oscillator. It takes hours to stabilize as the box warms up. I left the DDS generator on for 24 hours before the FMT and then calibrated it to the HP right before the test. But Diz's little reference it much more stable. Now if I could just use Diz's reference in my DDS generator

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 22:14:17 -0500
From: "AI2Q" <ai2q@adelphia.net>
To: <sergio@village-buzz.com>,
 "'Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion'" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161761] RE: more on the artificial ground..
Message-ID: <000501c3b239\$0ceacba0\$7e01a8c0@hq.cmp.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hi Sergio:

Not to worry too much about the hand capacitance problem. It's sure to be more pronounced on the higher bands, where the same capacitance is a greater part of the effective LC tank that the series-tuned "artificial ground" represents.

The "ground" is a series-tuned LC circuit, so it presents a low-Z to your antenna tuner, thus providing a path for "return current."

Perhaps a longer shaft on the "ground," along with an insulated coupler and a knob would provide the isolation that you need so that you can adjust it to series-resonance without having your hand-C affect its tuning.

GL wid it OB!

Vy 73, AI2Q, Alex in Kennebunk, Maine QRP-L #687
<http://users.adelphia.net/~alexmm/ai2q.htm>

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-----Original Message-----

From: owner-qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU [mailto:owner-qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU]On Behalf Of sergio
Sent: Sunday, November 23, 2003 1:25 PM
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion
Subject: more on the artificial ground..

in messing around with what could be causing my hand capacitance problem, i found something else that might be pretty interesting.. i have found that

it the effect seems to be different depending on what band i am on..

at 80, it is pretty noticeable.. and gets to be WAY noticeable at 15m..

i also found that it's not just the artificial ground that will change the tuning, but pretty much anywhere that is grounded on the cases of the artificial ground, the tuner, or the radio... the effect is much more pronounced on the artificial ground..

any hints or tips would be greatly appreciated..

thanks!

peace,

sergio

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<http://www.coffee-black.com/join.htm> <-- Join Picture of the Day!

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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 21:01:25 -0600

From: "Jerry Ford" <benlightnd13@mchsi.com>

To: "qrp-1" <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>, "FPigs" <fpqrp-1@mpna.com>

Subject: [161762] WOW THANKS TO ALL

Message-ID: <00ab01c3b237\$3fd0cda0\$4a78da0c@mchsi.com>

Wow: What a gang: Thanks to everyone that checked into
the FP Sunday evening net. I know there were a couple of you that
I missed and I appologize for that. (Howard, Juan, & Reggie)

All in all we had a great turnout and some good comments from all.

We started the with Mike and wrapped it with Brian sneaking in the
back door.

Mike: WA8BXN

 Thanks Mike for your support of the net. Seems when I
can't hear anyone else, you there and checking in. Much better
condx's tonight and your new KX-1 sounds great.

Mac: AF4PS
Josh Mac, long time no hear. Glad you made it
in here tonight. Good signal here from down there where it 's still
WARM.
Pipe some that warm air up here cuz I'm getten old and the cold makes
me hurt. < grin >

Jerry K9UT
Hi Jerry: Your first QNI for me. Thanks
a bunch for stopping by and hope you will make it again. The
strongest signal of the night and sounding FB. Come back and see us

Dave W7AQK Dave isn't a piggie (yet)
but he took a few minutes to stop by and help us out. I appreciate
your support of the net Dave and hope you will stop by often.

Phil WB8ABE
Hey Phil my partner: Missed ya on the last
couple of nets and was beginning to wonder if you were going to leave
me out here all alone. You were FB here in spite of the QRM. You
got to love the SSB folks.

Gary K8KFJ Gary, again welcome to
the pen. Glad to have another super op representing us over there
in WV. For those of you that don't know, Gary is our newest
member coming in with FP # 702 (unless Diz has been at it again)
Everyone give him a big ole OO and make him welcome.

Aron NN1F Hi Aron: I missed ya on
your turn. Mac tells me you had your hands full. I often have
Spiderman running around in the shack so I can relate. It's been far
to long since we've heard you checking in my friend but Mac assures me
you will be a regular from now on. I know it's Paul's fault you
and Mac haven't been around but next Sunday I'll make sure he is busy
building something so he can't hold you up.

Jerry WOPWE Hi Jerry Nice to
have you on board and hope you will make it a habit. Lots of folks
on tonight and it took me awhile to get to you so I appreciate you
hanging around to get your QNI in there.

I was just closing the net when Brian jumped in.

Brain KB9BVN Hi Brain: You started out
mixed in with the QRM but after calling a couple of times you popped
up out of the noise. Thanks for being there and thanks for picking
up Juan for me.

Juan KG4FSN Hey Juan Sorry I didn't
get you in there but you were 439 when working with Brian so we'll
count you as being on the net by proxy.

For those I missed, I'm sorry but it can only get better from here.

Reggie (K6XR) and Howard (W7ILW) were out there trying but
I just couldn't pull them out of the mud. Sorry guys.
I am putting up some new wire so I can hear better. Just hope the
snow stays up north so I can get on the new tower and string it.

Thanks a bunch to all and have a very safe / fun week

72 and oo Jerry N0JRN

FP # 546, 4SQRP, ARS # 923, ARCI # 11049, ARRL,
Springfield, Mo. MP + #8
<http://home.mchsi.com/~n0jrn>

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 19:21:34 -0800
From: Bob Nielsen <nielsen@oz.net>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161763] Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"
Message-ID: <20031124032134.GB4212@n7xy.net>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Disposition: inline

On Sun, Nov 23, 2003 at 09:49:30PM -0500, George Osier wrote:

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> George Osier , N2JNZ / QRP
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At least one of the TS7N ops is probably somewhat familiar with
QRP--Rein, PA0R (the author of TLF contesting software for Linux) has a
K2!

73, Bob N7XY

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Bob Nielsen, N7XY
Bainbridge Island, WA

n7xy (at) n7xy.net
<http://www.n7xy.net>

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 22:34:37 -0500
From: "Mike Rioux" <mike@rioux.org>
To: "'Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion'" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161764] RE: TS7N and signing "QRP"
Message-ID: <003a01c3b23b\$e35551e0\$9832a8c0@TOSHIBA>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="us-ascii"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 8BIT

I make a point of asking for any QRP operators when I go on trips.
Sometimes I get
caught up in the pileups and forget to ask frequently enough. If someone
is QRP and
signs that way it helps me to remember to ask for other QRP stations.
Don't be afraid
to indicate you are QRP if you are using low power, it does help the DX
station to
remember.

Mike, W1USN
Boxford, MA USA
w1usn@rioux.org

WN1DAE, WN1TPE, WA1TPE, NW1J, VE1/WA1TPE, DL/WA1TPE, G0/NW1J, EA7/NW1J,
P4/NW1J, P4/W1USN, V31RN, 8P9CI, VP2ERN, V26NR, FS/W1USN, PJ8/W1USN,
J75RN

Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 23:18:15 -0500
From: G Brandon Hoyt <preacher102677@juno.com>
To: qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [161765] ITEMS FOR SALE!!!!!!! RADIO and NON RADIO
Message-ID: <20031123.231816.2708.0.preacher102677@juno.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hello all...
I have the following items for sale,

RADIO ITEMS:

One Alinco DJ-195 2m. Transciever with radio shack lapel clip speaker
mike.

Comes with battery tray, no nicads. --\$85

One Radio shack HTX-10 with manual and box, anderson power pole for power
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--\$30

One super-jay pole antenna homebrewed for the HTX-10, great antenna,
worked Japan on it.

--\$30

-OR-

Buy the HTX-10 with the antenna: \$50 --save \$10!!

One "Little Joe" Transmitter for 160m : \$40

One vectronics RX for 80m : \$25

" " " " 40m : \$25

" " TX for 40m: \$35 (VX0, two crystals, one for
7040, one for novice qrp calling freq.)

100Ft of RG-8/U (Tandy Brand) \$15

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2 camera bodies- canon A-1 no shutter squeak

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filters

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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 23:12:31 -0600

From: "Joe Martin" <km5cw@wt.net>

To: "QRP" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>

Subject: [161766] Re: Elmer 160: web site

Message-ID: <00cc01c3b249\$90e83680\$2e4cd6d0@JoesHome1>

MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain;

charset="iso-8859-1"

Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Thanks, I just got an email from him, didn't say where he was, but was using a different email add than usual so he is probably "out of pocket".

The good news is the DDS daughtercard will ship to me this week, and I just got a tip from Doug on how to make a hook up to the old lap top to program it, so I will have some fun this week along with eating some great food

Thursday.

73 Joe

-- Original Message -----

From: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>

To: <km5cw@wt.net>

Sent: Sunday, November 23, 2003 8:59 PM

Subject: Re: Elmer 160: web site

> George has been out of the country.
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> 72/73 de WB8RCR <http://www.qsl.net/wb8rcr>
> didileydadidah QRP-L #1446 Code Warriors #35
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> ----- Original Message -----
> From: "Joe Martin" <km5cw@wt.net>
> To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
> Sent: Sunday, November 23, 2003 8:57 PM
> Subject: Re: Elmer 160: web site
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>
> > I hope George is working on "the project", I have sent him 4 emails this
> > week at several of his email address's about the DDS kit and haven't
heard
> > from him so that tells me he is a busy bee, whatever it is he is doing
> will
> > no doubt be great for all of us.
> > 73 de KM5CW, Joe
> > ARCI #11368 FP#-697 FISTS#4217
> > GRID EM13kf FtWorth,Tx
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> > To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
> > Sent: Sunday, November 23, 2003 7:43 PM
> > Subject: Re: Elmer 160: web site
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Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 23:12:27 -0800
From: "William Phinzy" <k6whp@verizon.net>
To: "QRP-L" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161767] Re: eBay Scam?
Message-ID: <007d01c3b25a\$52f9cfd0\$a063e043@sydelpgnr79gmd>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="Windows-1252"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

..thanks to all who replied. I am forwarding the email to
the ebay address and letting them deal with it.

72,

Bill, k6whp

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 06:31:24 -0500
From: Joe Mikuckis <k3chp@rcn.com>
To: QRP-L Mailing List <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161768] Is there a way?
Message-ID: <3FC1EC0C.6307A64A@rcn.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

The spam is killing me! I get about 200 per day. Is there a way to
forward all this crap back to the sender?

Joe, K3CHP
Frederica, DE

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 06:52:24 -0500
From: "Charles Mabbott" <aa8vs@msn.com>
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [161769] Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"
Message-ID: <BAY5-F38mBpWD5r4EaC00007eaf@hotmail.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; format=flowed

I have found more cases than not, signing QRP definately brings out the 229 / 228 no copy alot more than it does any good. In fact last year after answering my call and when the special event station found I was QRP < 100 watts I got "no contact no contact".

I am just in it for the fun, if I get a 559 and they don't know I am running 4 watts I see no harm in that at all.

73 Chuck AA8VS

"By all means marry: If you get a good wife,
you'll become happy; if you get a bad one,
you'll become a philosopher."
-- Socrates

www.aa8vs.org/aa8vs

-----Original Message Follows-----

From: "James R. Duffey" <JamesDuffey@comcast.net>
Reply-To: JamesDuffey@comcast.net
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"
Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 13:33:06 -0700

Gene and Carrie - Most DXpedition ops are there to make the most contacts they can. They don't like to have any exchanges any longer than necessary. Thus they usually do not like to hear callers sign /QRP. It adds to the length of hte QSO. On short DXpeditions or those very rare ones, the additional time a /QRP on every QRP station they worked would add up to several QSOs that they could have made and didn't becasue of hte additional time a /QRP cost.

It doesn't pay to upset the DXpedition op since he is the one that eventually determines whether or not you will receive a confirmation.

I personally think that signing /QRP is a request for special treatment. I don't operate QRP to get special treatment, I operate it for the challenge.

There are other ways of making your call stand out from the rest. delaying the start of calling a second. increasing or decreasing your keying weighting slightly, and having a good antenna all work. /QRP does as well, but it is not usually appreciated by the op at the other end. - Dr. Megacycle KK6MC/5

James R. Duffey KK6MC/5
Cedar Crest NM 87009 DM65

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 07:34:43 -0500 (EST)
From: "n2cx" <n2cx@voicenet.com>
To: qrp-l@lehigh.edu
Subject: [161770] Elmer 160: web site
Message-ID: <200311241234.hAOCYhn17060@email1.voicenet.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=iso-8859-1

Gang,

I have it on good authority that the server on which the amqrp web site resides has been undergoing some much-needed maintenance. considering the low cost (\$00.00) that the owner has graciously offered to charge us a little patience is in order.

All good things come to he who waits, but sometimes it's difficult...

72/73,

Joe E., N2CX

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 06:24:13 -0700
From: "Bob Hightower" <rhightower@cox.net>

To: <k3chp@rcn.com>
Cc: <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161771] Re: Is there a way?
Message-ID: <002101c3b28e\$40d5f610\$6601a8c0@Bobs>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Don't! All that does is verify that they have gotten a valid email address,
which they will then, probably, sell to others.

Bob NK7M

----- Original Message -----

From: "Joe Mikuckis" <k3chp@rcn.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Sent: Monday, November 24, 2003 4:31 AM
Subject: Is there a way?

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> forward all this crap back to the sender?
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> Joe, K3CHP
> Frederica, DE
>
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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 06:29:57 -0700
From: "Rod N0RC" <rc7039-hr@yahoo.com>
To: "qrp-l" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161772] Is there a way?
Message-ID: <00f901c3b28f\$0f213d90\$6501a8c0@greyrock>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="Windows-1252"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Joe,

Not likely, and if you did, things would probably get worse.

Most spammers use forged addresses so you won't really know where it
goes. If it goes anywhere your email address is recorded as valid and

you get even more spam.

Best to use a spam filter in you mail handling process. My ISPs use such filters and I see little spam. My main ISP uses MailArmory, www.mailarmory.com. I also use a Yahoo premium account for hobby-interest-email Yahoo has good spam filtering and now offers "disposable addresses" to help fight spam. Other options are Mail Washer, <http://www.mailwasher.net/> and SpamCop, <http://www.spamcop.net/>

This long Google link:

http://directory.google.com/Top/Computers/Software/Internet/Clients/Mail/Windows/Tools/Anti_Spam/?tc=1

will lead you to many other spam fighting tools.

GL
73, Rod NØRC

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 07:35:32 -0600
From: "Joe Martin" <km5cw@wt.net>
To: "QRP" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161773] Re: Is there a way?
Message-ID: <00e601c3b28f\$ea3c6580\$2e4cd6d0@JoesHome1>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hey Joe, I know what you mean, this happened to my @arrl.net address, I started forwarding everything from that address to my yahoo account, their spam filter is doing a great job of sifting. So that is one free way to filter it out, another is use Netscape's mail, it comes with a built in spam filter that you can tweak. I get about 15 to 1 spam vs normal email on yahoo and all I have to do to rid myself of the spam is hit delete or I can scan to make sure a real email doesn't get lost while tuning the spam filter.

Good luck,

73 de KM5CW, Joe

ARCI #11368 FP#-697 FISTS#4217

GRID EM13kf FtWorth,Tx

32:49:31N 97:06:13W

(<http://web.wt.net/~km5cw>)

-----| Virus Scanned by Symantec |-----

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 07:42:05 -0600

From: Mark Fields <mark_ke5my@juno.com>

To: qrp-l@lehigh.edu

Subject: [161774] Re: SW+ RIT mod

Message-ID: <20031124.074240.-158519.0.mark_ke5my@juno.com>

MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I'd also like to know more about that mod. *Why* did Small Wonder Labs stop offering it? (Actually, it should have been part of each SW/SW+ kit.) A transceiver without an RIT is at a serious disadvantage. TIA.

73, Mark

On Sun, 23 Nov 2003 17:50:01 -0600 "Jerry Ford" <benlightnd13@mchsi.com> writes:

> OK, so I should have saved it or copied it. But I didn't
> so
> can someone steer me to the info on the RIT mod for the SW series
> rigs..?????/
>
> I appreciate it !!
>
> 73 Jerry NOJRN
> FP # 546, 4SQRP, ARS # 923, ARCI # 11049, ARRL,
> Springfield, Mo. MP + #8
> <http://home.mchsi.com/~n0jrn>
>
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>
>

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 08:46:24 -0500
From: "Joe Roof" <jroof@mindspring.com>
To: <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161775] Re: Is there a way?
Message-ID: <002d01c3b291\$59fd9960\$6401a8c0@joe>

Try www.mailwasher.net it has made a difference for me.

72

Joe, w4jhr

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 08:51:48 -0500
From: "Dale Parfitt" <par@parelectronics.com>
To: <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161776] F.S. MFJ 259-B
Message-ID: <003501c3b292\$1cbc7cf0\$6e9bf043@D57H2931>
MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I have 2 MFJ-259B's. The one for sale just returned from MFJ where it underwent recalibration and bandswitch replacement (a weak point in the design).
Some wear of the black paint on edges. Comes with the original manual.
\$175 shipped CONUS.

Dale W40P

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 08:01:53 -0600
From: "sjolin" <sjolin@swbell.net>
To: <mark_ke5my@juno.com>,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161777] Re: SW+ RIT mod
Message-ID: <133001c3b293\$86c59c20\$78d1fea9@DaveSjolin>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

----- Original Message -----
From: "Mark Fields" <mark_ke5my@juno.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Sent: Monday, November 24, 2003 7:42 AM
Subject: Re: SW+ RIT mod

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> Small Wonder Labs stop offering it? (Actually, it should
> have been part of each SW/SW+ kit.) A transceiver without
> an RIT is at a serious disadvantage. TIA.

I believe they quit offering it because there was little demand for it. If you dont work DX, chase the fox, or work old drifting boat anchors, you might have little or no need for RIT. Only time I use RIT is in a pileup.

73 de Dave, N0IT

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 09:05:43 -0500
From: "Thomas Lewis" <thomas_h_lewis@msn.com>
To: benlightnd13@mchsi.com, qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [161778] Re: SW+ RIT mod
Message-ID: <BAY5-F181G510GsGi7C00008c8d@hotmail.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; format=flowed

Try here:

<http://www.qsl.net/kf4trd/mods.htm>

Tom
K4THL

Share holiday photos without swamping your Inbox. Get MSN Extra Storage now! <http://join.msn.com/?PAGE=features/es>

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 09:09:43 -0500
From: Michael Pupeza <mpupeza@sympatico.ca>
To: <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161779] Re: Is there a way
Message-ID: <BBE77B51.1AC57%mpupeza@sympatico.ca>
Mime-version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit

There is "WebWasher" which can send back a 'Daemon Mailer' message indicating that your address is invalid and the spam could not be delivered. Also, I understand, that "SpamAssassin" works well for others. I haven't tried that one.

My own ISP does filter 'most' of the most obvious spam. Check your own ISP Website. They may offer a Spam Filter Option for your service.

73 es GL.

Mike VE3EQP.....>

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 09:33:26 -0500
From: kenneth hoglund <hoglund@wfu.edu>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161780] Changing Impedence:Update
Message-ID: <3FC216B6.9060308@wfu.edu>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Since several folks on and off-list asked for updates, I'm happy to oblige in the hope that this will help someone else.

Many, many helpful suggestions came in, and I thank each and every one of you. This is an amazing resource!

Several respondents suggested I retest loading the antenna system with another rig and start from scratch with the tuner to rule out a tuner and/or antenna issue. I had done it pretty quickly in the first round, so hitched the Ten Tec 1320 up to the system and started from a neutral setting (if you haven't yet, see the "Tuner Tutorial" on the List website--great instructions for how to operate a tuner). Used the 1320 because it puts out enough power to keep my cheapo SWR meter in line.

The results: the original settings for optimal 20m tuning were matched exactly. Ok, not the tuner, meter, nor antenna system. It's the 180S.

I think it was Weds when I got around to swapping antenna leads and firing up the 180S, and we were in the middle to a significant solar event. Voices sounded like gargling gravel: I was about ready to pull the rig off-line when I caught an op talking about the lousy conditions. Decided waiting was a better option.

A day or so later I fired up the 180S and repeated my start from neutral. Wouldn't you know it--same exact tuner settings as the 1320 for optimal 20m operations. Did it 3 times in a row with the same results. A

couple of folks figured my finals were out, and so suggested I check the range of power. Blew a lot of rf out without a hitch. Also had several suggest the "sniff" test when pushing rf---didn't encounter any unusual scents.

A couple of ops noted that when finals begin to go bad, they sometimes do funny things like work fine one day and mess-up the next. That's my current theory--but at the moment I'm pleased my "antique" is functional for some more qsos. Now if I can just get it to work right for the next fox hunt....

73 and tnx for all the help, esp. Bruce W6TOY, Steve WB6TNL, and Frank N8HI who suggested the finals,

Ken KG4FGC

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 09:43:00 -0500
From: brewerj@squared.com
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [161781] 10 cell AA battery holder source:
Message-ID: <0FAD7EA2CB.B738A8F2-
ON85256DE8.00509D7F-85256DE8.00511E47@CIS.SQUARED.COM>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

<http://www.thomas-distributing.com/battery-holders.htm>

I've found them elsewhere too (either Electronic Goldmine, or All Electronics) but they're not hard to find.

They work fine, but beware of melting the plastic when connecting leads. My next will be built with metal holders from Electronic Goldmine and I'll splice some together to get the correct number (actually, 11 cells is what I really want... 13.4v, from a NiMh pack)

73
John K5MO

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 08:44:47 -0600
From: KD5NWA <KD5NWA@cbayona.com>

To: k3chp@rcn.com,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161782] Re: Is there a way?
Message-ID: <5.2.0.9.0.20031124083423.00a7ef78@127.0.0.1>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

I get over 300 email's a day, most which is Spam, Popfile is working exceedingly well for me, It uses artificial intelligence to sort your mail. This week it sorted my mail with 99.6% accuracy, not bad at all, I have it set to send all spam to the trash, where I peek once in a while.

<<http://popfile.sourceforge.net/>>

At 05:31 AM 11/24/2003, Joe Mikuckis wrote:
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>Frederica, DE

Cecil
KD5NWA

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 09:53:22 -0500
From: Steve.Lawrence@ITWFEG.COM
To: benlightnd13@mchsi.com
Cc: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161783] Re: SW+ RIT mod
Message-ID: <OFF68AA9E5.FA0B03C0-ON85256DE8.004DBC7A-85256DE8.0051CA0E@itwfeg.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"

Jerry,
A "universal" RIT kit is advertised here:
<http://www.danssmallpartsandkits.net/>
It is supposed to work with the SWL series.

Steve
aa8af

owner-qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU wrote on 11/23/2003 06:50:01 PM:

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> rigs..?????/
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> I appreciate it !!
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> 73 Jerry N0JRN

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 08:08:03 -0700
From: "Bob Baxter" <rbaxter@cybertrails.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161784] Re: Is there a way?
Message-ID: <013401c3b29c\$c36081f0\$ab572aa2@radioroom>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="Windows-1252"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

From: "Rod N0RC" <rc7039-hr@yahoo.com>

My ISPs use such
> filters and I see little spam. My main ISP uses MailArmory,
> www.mailarmory.com.

Cybertrails uses Spam Assassin. With the default settings it kills Juno mail so I set it back one notch and it lets Juno through and a little more spam. All in all it works pretty good.

Bob Baxter AA7EQ
Bisbee, Az.

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 10:22:12 -0500
From: "John Shannon" <jsk3wwwp@alltel.net>
To: <k3chp@rcn.com>, "QRP Mail List" <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161785] Is there a way? - Yes, sort of
Message-ID: <000701c3b29e\$bceaefec0\$d72766a6@alltel.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"

Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I've mentioned this before. MailWasher will send a bounce message back to the spammers indicating your email address is no good. However, much of the spam is designed by the sender to have no valid return address so this won't work in many cases. Or some spammers will spoof someone's email address as their return address. I had that happen to me and got around 1000 bounce messages from that spammer's bad addresses on their spam mailing list.

Just remember, NEVER NEVER just reply to a spam message or try to unsubscribe. That only let's the spammer know he's found a good email address, and he'll sell or otherwise pass your address along to other spammers.

The best thing about MailWasher is that all the work is done right on the server without downloading the email to your computer, thus saving you a lot of time and protecting you from any viruses contained in the email.

It has many ways of detecting what is spam and what isn't, including user-designed filters, user blacklists, user friends list, master on-line blacklists, etc.

For example I have a filter that searches the entire header of an email for 'qrp-l' and if MailWasher finds that, it flags that message as 'QRP-L' and marks it for deletion since I don't bother downloading the numerous QRP-L emails, but simply read them on the server via MailWasher, then unmark those I want to download. All those still marked are then deleted when I press the process email button.

To deal with the spam that had my address as their return address, I studied the headers to find something common to them all and that wouldn't be in my regular emails, set up a filter, and had MailWasher delete those automatically without even having to look at them.

To use an old phrase, I think MailWasher is the best thing since sliced bread. And no, I'm not affiliated with them in any way except as a delighted user.

It's available both as a freeware (somewhat limited, but still very good) version and a commercial version for \$29.95 USD.

The link is www.mailwasher.net. And please check the Links section of my website - Useful Non-ham info page for other software that eliminates many of the annoyances and dangers from surfing the web and email. My URL is in my signature below. There's a free anti-virus program there that is just as good as the commercial programs, a program that eliminates those annoying pop-ups and banner ads from your browsing and much more.

Hope that helps you, Joe. Also anyone else suffering from spam or other Internet annoyances.

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73 - John, K3WWP - 100% CW & QRP  
using simple wire antennas.

<http://home.alltel.net/johnshan/>

My website is now in its eighth year  
of operation and includes the following:

DX QSL Routes \*\* Operating Tips  
QRP Rigs Info \*\* CW Contest Calendar  
Daily Propagation Info \*\* Your CW Stories  
Teens and CW \*\* Monthly polls  
Categorized Quality Links \*\* MUCH MORE

If you love Morse Code, please join the  
FISTS club - <http://www.fists.org>  
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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 09:43:45 -0600
From: "Tony Martin W4FOA" <w4foa@comcast.net>
To: <aa8vs@msn.com>,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161786] Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"
Message-ID: <[001201c3b2a1\\$bf16d810\\$6401a8c0@De1ldude](mailto:001201c3b2a1$bf16d810$6401a8c0@De1ldude)>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Chuck,
Very interesting! In my almost 50 years of running QRP, I've never had that happen to me. Also, in my 50 years I've never gotten a 229, much less a 228!
Makes one wonder if there were other factors involved?
Tony, W4FOA

----- Original Message -----

From: "Charles Mabbott" <aa8vs@msn.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Sent: Monday, November 24, 2003 5:52 AM

Subject: Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"

> I have found more cases than not, signing QRP definately brings out the
229
> / 228 no copy alot more than it does any good. In fact last year after
> answering my call and when the special event station found I was QRP < 100
> watts I got "no contact no contact".
>
> I am just in it for the fun, if I get a 559 and they don't know I am
running
> 4 watts I see no harm in that at all.
>
> 73 Chuck AA8VS
>
> "By all means marry: If you get a good wife,
> you'll become happy; if you get a bad one,
> you'll become a philosopher."
> -- Socrates
>
> www.aa8vs.org/aa8vs
>
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> -----Original Message Follows-----
> From: "James R. Duffey" <JamesDuffey@comcast.net>
> Reply-To: JamesDuffey@comcast.net
> To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
> Subject: Re: TS7N and signing "QRP"
> Date: Sun, 23 Nov 2003 13:33:06 -0700
>
> Gene and Carrie - Most DXpedition ops are there to make the most contacts
> they can. They don't like to have any exchanges any longer than necessary.
> Thus they usually do not like to hear callers sign /QRP. It adds to the
> length of hte QS0. On short DXpeditions or those very rare ones, the
> additional time a /QRP on every QRP station they worked would add up to
> several QS0s that they could have made and didn't becasue of hte
additional
> time a /QRP cost.
>
> It doesn't pay to upset the DXpedition op since he is the one that
> eventually determines whether or not you will receive a confirmation.
>
> I personally think that signing /QRP is a request for special treatment. I
> don't operate QRP to get sepcial treatment, I operate it for the
challenge.

>
> There are other ways of making your call stand out from the rest. delaying
> the start of calling a second. increasing or decreasing your keying
> weighting slightly, and having a good antenna all work. /QRP does as well,
> but it is not usually appreciated by the op at the other end. - Dr.
> Megacycle KK6MC/5
> -----
> James R. Duffey KK6MC/5
> Cedar Crest NM 87009 DM65
>
> -----
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start
> at less than \$1 a day average. <https://broadband.msn.com> (Prices may vary
> by service area.)
>

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 10:37:52 -0800
From: "Dave Benson" <nn1g@earthlink.net>
To: "Dave Sjolín" <sjolin@swbell.net>,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161787] Re: SW+ RIT mod
Message-ID: <004f01c3b2ba\$12e58a00\$86744b43@pavilion>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Thanks, Dave-

I'll gladly answer this one, since I still get occasional inquiries about the RIT accessory.

The accessory sold for \$20 or under. In addition to the printed circuit board itself, there were three critical components: the subminiature switch, a Bourns pot and a high-quality machined knob. Each of those three items cost about \$4 apiece, but worse yet, was a sole-source part with 8-10 week lead times from the manufacturers. I typically bought parts 10 at a time from the distributors, so lengthy delays were all too common when the distributors ran out! It wouldn't be hard to produce a similar product at lower cost, but this was a quality offering- it was important to me that the item 'harmonized' nicely with the SW+ enclosure kit.

My degree's not in rocket science, but I nevertheless realized that this accessory offering was a goodwill deal rather than a viable product. I

could have offered the RIT accessory at what any vendor would consider a reasonable markup, but that runs smack-dab into a 'perceived-value' issue. I'm not convinced that many folks would sit still for a \$30-35 RIT accessory for a \$55 transceiver kit!

I have no plans to re-introduce the RIT accessory as an adjunct to the existing SW+ series. That's called a 'business opportunity' for anyone who feels they would do well with this. [Please note, however- the design and documentation of the RIT accessory you see at the URL mentioned earlier? It's the intellectual property of Walt Thomas, K3ASW. He and I had a business arrangement relative to its commercial use.]

73- Dave

Dave Benson, K1SWL
dave@smallwonderlabs.com
<http://smallwonderlabs.com>
Phone/fax 860-537-8031

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From: sjolin <sjolin@swbell.net>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Date: Monday, November 24, 2003 6:31 AM
Subject: Re: SW+ RIT mod

<snip>

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> Small Wonder Labs stop offering it? (Actually, it should
> have been part of each SW/SW+ kit.) A transceiver without
> an RIT is at a serious disadvantage. TIA.

<snip>

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 11:09:00 -0500
From: tjmc <tjmc@erols.com>
To: brewerj@squared.com
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161788] Re: 10 cell AA battery holder source:
Message-ID: <3FC22D1C.9090402@erols.com>

MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

> (actually, 11
> cells is what I really want... 13.4v, from a NiMh pack)
>
> 73
> John K5MO

John,

I have several packs made this way... just a word of note;

Watch the off charge voltage (1.4v per cell plus) of this pack can be 15.4v+... It's just a bit high for some volt regulators.
I usu add a switch on the last cell and pop it inline after the rest of the cell drop a minute or two.

best
Tom aa2vk

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 10:36:03 -0600
From: "Jerry Hall" <lugehall@hotmail.com>
To: qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [161789] FOX HUNT Nov. 25th -- N1FN and =?ISO-8859-1?Q?W=D8PWE?=
Message-ID: <BAY9-F27uWiqJmdTcjJ0000ef62@hotmail.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; format=flowed

The FOX HUNT this week will see N1FN operating above 7040 Khz and W0PWE operating below 7040 Khz. The hunt starts promptly at 0200 26 Nov. UTC and runs for two hours. Listen for my initial call of "CQ FOX DE W0PWE K" and then answer me about 1 to 2 Khz UP. I will then listen and call a station out of the pack with the following:

<your call> 559 IA Jerry 5W <your call> BK

I may send the exchange at a higher speed since it will always be the same. The station I call should then respond with his/her exchange. If I need fills I will ask for the missing component (RST, SPC, name, or PWR). When I have your exchange copied I will usually just send "TU" as confirmation and

to signal the pack that I am ready for the next station.

In the last half hour of the hunt, or earlier if things are really slow, I will listen on my xmit frequency for rigs without RIT and I will listen on 7040 for rock bound rigs.

Again this year John Burnley (NU0V) will be in the shack operating the hunt with me. He has finely tuned ears so if I don't hear you he will. I will be using a Kenwood TS-140 with 500hz filter at 5 watts and an inverted vee at 45 feet.

See you Tuesday and good luck in the hunt.

72,

Jerry - W0PWE

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 10:00:06 -0700
From: "Marshall Emm" <mgemm@mtechnologies.com>
To: ke9v@comcast.net, qRP-L@lehigh.edu
Subject: [161790] Re: Z-11 Discontinued
Message-ID: <3FC1D6A6.15839.1C96E8@localhost>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7BIT
Content-description: Mail message body

??Don't know if it's been mentioned, but I just noticed that the LDG Z-11 QRP auto-tuner has been discontinued.
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The Z-11 kit is still available from Morse Xpress-- <http://www.MorseX.com/ldg>
.The AT11-MP has been discontinued too (both kit and assembled) but the RT-11 and Balun Box kits are still available.

73

Marshall Emm
N1FN/VK5FN

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 09:23:03 -0800
From: Stephen Wandling <stephen@SwiftsureConsulting.com>
To: unlisted-recipients;; (no To-header on input)
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161791] Re: SW+ RIT mod
Message-ID: <3FC23E77.9000405@SwiftsureConsulting.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=ISO-8859-1; format=flowed
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Stephen

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 10:30:30 -0600 (CST)  
From: "Brian.Buydens@usask.ca" <buydens@duke.usask.ca>  
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>  
Cc: Brian Buydens <brian.buydens@usask.ca>  
Subject: [161792] Educational Materials -- Propagation  
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.4.53.0311241012050.310284@duke.usask.ca>  
MIME-version: 1.0



Content-type: TEXT/PLAIN; charset=US-ASCII

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Brian.

Brian Buydens  
Veterinary Electronic Data Specialist  
Computing Services, University of Saskatchewan  
email: Brian.Buydens@usask.ca  
<http://duke.usask.ca/~buydens>  
VE5RDV

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 11:23:09 -0600  
From: "Jerry Ford" <benlightnd13@mchsi.com>  
To: <Rock-Mite\_Group@yahoogroups.com>, "qrp-1" <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>,  
"Pigs" <multipigplus@yahoogroups.com>,  
Subject: [161793] Truffles and Foxii  
Message-ID: <011301c3b2af\$a25360a0\$4a78da0c@mchsi.com>

Good morning all. I see that Jerry has sent out an announcement  
inviting you all to the Fox Hunt tomorrow evening. ( Thanks Jerry  
for the reminder )

It's appropriate that a similar invite is posted for the Truffle this  
week.

So, it is my pleasure to invite you all to the Truffle Hunt tomorrow  
evening starting at 0130z. I get the pleasure of being your  
Truffle this week and I will be somewhere around 7.044 + -

I will be working simplex unless things get a bit busy then I will  
split freq's.

The exchange is the same as the Foxii ( RST, SPC, name and PWR / FP  
# ) with one exception. I will be sending my Flying Pig number  
rather than my power out. I will be looking for Flying Pig numbers  
in return if you are a club member and your power out if you aren't.

After last night's net, I feel like the batch of cold air we just got  
is bringing with it some improved propagation. Let us hope that  
holds true tomorrow evening so everyone gets a good shot at the  
Truffle / Foxii

Again the time is 0130z at or near 7.044.

C U there and everyone have a super hunt.

72

Jerry NOJRN  
FP # 546, 4SQRP, ARS # 923, ARCI # 11049, ARRL,  
Springfield, Mo. MP + #8  
<http://home.mchsi.com/~n0jrn>

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 12:51:28 -0500

From: WAYNE SMITH <k8ff@juno.com>  
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu  
Subject: [161794] WANTED: Bencher BY-1  
Message-ID: <20031124.125129.1344.0.K8FF@juno.com>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Wanted for a project! I need a very good to excellent condition Bencher BY-1 paddle. Please state price and condx off list please.

Thanks, Wayne K8FF

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 13:29:45 -0500  
From: "Brian Riley (maillist)" <n1bq\_list@wulfden.org>  
To: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>,  
Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>  
Subject: [161795] Re: Elmer 160: Time to get to work  
Message-ID: <BBE7B849.19F37%n1bq\_list@wulfden.org>  
Mime-version: 1.0  
Content-type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"  
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit

The page at AMQRP with the PIC-EL kit has no info/links on actually ordering the board kit. What's up?

cheers ... 73 de brian, n1bq

On 11/23/03 4:13 PM, "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net> wrote:

> FINALLY!  
>  
> We are ready to start the Elmer 160 PIC course now! Complete details on  
> <http://www.amqrp.org/elmer160>.

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 11:36:15 -0700  
From: "Paul Ermisch" <paul@ermisch.com>  
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>  
Subject: [161796] RE: Is there a way? - Yes, sort of  
Message-ID: <NHBBIMAFPBCKANGJGAPDAEGGCLAA.paul@ermisch.com>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain;

charset="iso-8859-1"  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

First, I apologize for propagating an OT thread however useful it is to the rest of the list.

I purchased and used MailWasher for a bit and it is a good product. However, there are two things about it that have prevented me from using it anymore.

1. You still have to read all the message headers (subject line/return address) and make sure spam is marked correctly. It makes very good guesses and marks many items by itself but you still need to look through the list to make sure it didn't miss any or marked some valid e-mails. For me, this process was more annoying than just ignoring the spam in the first place. Also, I didn't find that it cut down significantly in the amount of spam I received. I believe most, if not all, spam-prevention systems require you to spend time adding 'intelligence' to the process. Right now, spam is not annoying enough for me to bother.

2. I suspect that my Win98SE system became much more unstable after installing it. After nuking my drive, installing Win98SE from scratch, and NOT re-installing MailWasher, blue screens are much less frequent. Of course, it was probably interaction with other things I had installed - YMMV.

Paul KB0LUR

-----Original Message-----

From: owner-qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU [mailto:owner-qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU] On Behalf Of John Shannon

Sent: Monday, November 24, 2003 8:22 AM

To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion

Subject: Is there a way? - Yes, sort of

I've mentioned this before. MailWasher will send a bounce message back to the spammers indicating your email address is no good.

<stuff deleted>

Hope that helps you, Joe. Also anyone else suffering from spam or other Internet annoyances.

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73 - John, K3WWP - 100% CW & QRP
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<http://home.alltel.net/johnshan/>

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 14:02:12 -0500  
From: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>  
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>  
Cc: <buydens@duke.usask.ca>  
Subject: [161797] Re: Educational Materials -- Propagation  
Message-ID: <000c01c3b2bd\$77f0d1e0\$090044c0@BrianBoru>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain;  
                charset="iso-8859-1"  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Brian

Do you have PowerPoint? Just last week I gave a propagation talk to a Girl Scout group. My slides are pretty simple, but they worked out well. Sounds like you are going into more detail than I did, but I was surprised at how much interest the girls showed in the subject.

72/73 de WB8RCR      <http://www.qsl.net/wb8rcr>  
didileydadidah      QRP-L #1446 Code Warriors #35

----- Original Message -----

From: "Brian.Buydens@usask.ca" <buydens@duke.usask.ca>  
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>  
Sent: Monday, November 24, 2003 11:30 AM  
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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 13:08:46 -0600  
From: "Jerry Hall" <[lugehall@hotmail.com](mailto:lugehall@hotmail.com)>

To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU  
Subject: [161798] Re: SW+ RIT mod  
Message-ID: <BAY9-F29GdD0wsRnJSs00010453@hotmail.com>  
Mime-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain; format=flowed

Dave Wrote:

>I have no plans to re-introduce the RIT accessory as an adjunct to the  
>existing SW+ series. That's called a 'business opportunity' for anyone who  
>feels they would do well with this.

I have an RIT circuit in my scratch built SST that I believe would work well in the SW radios and most any varactor tuned rig. Recently I have been laying out a circuit board for it with the idea that I might make it available as a kit or pre-built assembly if there is enough interest. I hadn't planned to announce it until the board was finished and the price determined, but I decided to mention it since this thread was going. I will post more details as the work progresses.

72,

Jerry - WOPWE

e-mail: WOPWE(at)ARRL(dot)net

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 11:14:05 -0800  
From: Marv Fagenson <k6hcj@juno.com>  
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.edu  
Subject: [161799] de F2MA QRP  
Message-ID: <20031124.111409.-1899941.0.k6hcj@juno.com>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I wkd Andy, F2MA on the low end of 20M about 8:30 AM, PST, today Mon. 11/24. He was running 5 watts and I asked him to go up to 14.060 from time to time and he said he would. Watch for him. Signal was abt 549, lotsa qrn and Long Path as well.  
Marv Fagenson  
k6hcj@Juno.com

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 14:29:35 -0500  
From: "JBCrafts" <jbcraft@adelphia.net>  
To: "qrp-l" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>, "Pigs" <multipigplus@yahoo.com>  
Subject: [161800] marker generator forsale  
Message-ID: <AGEJJBFLPLHMOECFDINOKELJEAAA.jbcraft@adelphia.net>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain;  
                charset="iso-8859-1"  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I have one OLD FASHION - rock bound, 100kHz marker.

It happens to be a Yaesu board PB-1068.

Currently, it has a 9v battery clip attached to the board for power, a wire on the output.

I am cleaning out the "box of little or no use stuff", so make me a reasonable offer, add \$3.85 for Priority Mail.

Bob K8YS

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 11:30:43 -0800  
From: Stephen Wandling <stephen@SwiftsureConsulting.com>  
To: unlisted-recipients;; (no To-header on input)  
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>  
Subject: [161801] IC-706 Questions  
Message-ID: <3FC25C63.4040502@SwiftsureConsulting.com>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=ISO-8859-1; format=flowed  
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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 15:20:54 -0500
From: "John J. McDonough" <wb8rcr@arrl.net>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Cc: <stephen@SwiftsureConsulting.com>
Subject: [161802] Re: IC-706 Questions
Message-ID: <004c01c3b2c8\$76c32650\$090044c0@BrianBoru>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
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72/73 de WB8RCR <http://www.qsl.net/wb8rcr>
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----- Original Message -----

From: "Stephen Wandling" <stephen@SwiftsureConsulting.com>

To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Sent: Monday, November 24, 2003 2:30 PM
Subject: IC-706 Questions

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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 15:35:14 -0500
From: "David J. Adams" <david@theadamsclan.com>
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [161803] Monday.
Message-ID: <3FC26B82.9050808@theadamsclan.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

So...it's Monday...been checking the list all day...
73 de dave, n9uxu

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 12:42:15 -0800
From: Stephen Wandling <stephen@SwiftsureConsulting.com>
To: unlisted-recipients;; (no To-header on input)
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [161804] Re: IC-706 Questions

Message-ID: <3FC26D27.5020304@SwiftsureConsulting.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=windows-1252; format=flowed
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 8bit

John,

Thanks for the response.

I have the standard filter. In CW the signal shows at the 'left' side of the passband. On SSB the signal shows in the centre. This is with the Shift knob in the centre.

You mention that if I have a 'CW filter', the sig should be in the centre. Are you referring to one of the optional filters? I presume so, because later you say that the CW sig should be toward the edge and I am presuming this is for the 'standard' filter.

I know what you mean about the hiss when near the edge of the passband.

Your explanation of the stacking registers fits perfectly with my experiences and explains the mystery! Thanks

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Regards,

Stephen Wandling

Project Manager

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"If I knew for a certainty that a man was coming to my house with the conscious design of doing me good, I should run for my life." Henry David Thoreau

Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 17:56:59 -0500
From: G Brandon Hoyt <preacher102677@juno.com>
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [161805] Re: ITEMS FOR SALE!!!!!!! RADIO and NON RADIO
Message-ID: <20031124.175659.1396.2.preacher102677@juno.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

The HTX-10 Has been spoken for!
The antenna is still available!!

> Hello all...
> I have the following items for sale,
>
> RADIO ITEMS:
>
> One Alinco DJ-195 2m. Transciever with radio shack lapel clip
> speaker
> mike.
> Comes with battery tray, no nicads. --\$85
>
> One Radio shack HTX-10 with manual and box, anderson power pole for
> power
> plug, cable included
> --\$30
> One super-jay pole antenna homebrewed for the HTX-10, great
> antenna,
> worked Japan on it.
> --\$30
> -OR-
> Buy the HTX-10 with the antenna: \$50 --save \$10!!
>
> One "Little Joe" Transmitter for 160m : \$40
>
> One vectronics RX for 80m : \$25
> " " " " 40m : \$25
> " " TX for 40m: \$35 (VX0, two crystals, one
> for
> 7040, one for novice qrp calling freq.)
>
> 100Ft of RG-8/U (Tandy Brand) \$15
>
> NON-RADIO

>
> 2 camera bodies- canon A-1 no shutter squeak
> One 50mm (canon fd mount) lense w/ uv and polarized filters
> One 70-210 zoom w/ macro zoom lense (canon fd mount) w/ uv and
> polarized
> filters
> One Canon speedlite 299T with soft case and difuser
> Manual for canon A-series cameras
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From: "Paul Womble" <pwomble@earthlink.net>
To: "'Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion'" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [161806] RE: Monday.

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Glad Doug didn't say to hold our breath!

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> -----Original Message-----

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> So...it's Monday...been checking the list all day...
> 73 de dave, n9uxu
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Date: Mon, 24 Nov 2003 18:22:50 -0500
From: "NZ8J" <nz8j@woh.rr.com>
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Subject: [161807] FS/T: Argonaut 509 w/accessories
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I have the following for sale or trade:

509 Argonaut (late serial number {3592} with the larger main tuning knob)
210 Power supply
208 CW Filter
206 Calibrator
Shure 450 Desk Mic (wired for the 509)
607 TT paddles with K1EL keyer built in

Everything works excellent, PT0 is good and doesn't slip, have original manuals for radio, supply, calibrator and cw filter and also have all interconnecting cables. Just hook up an antenna and you're ready to operate.

Condition on everything is an 8+. The only negative is that someone replaced the small knobs with non-stock knobs, they do not look bad and look close to stock, but they are not stock. I can send pictures for those interested. I called Ten Tec today and was told the guy who would know for sure if they had them was on vacation this week, but he thought there were some of the small knobs available.

Asking \$235 shipped and insured in the lower 48 for the entire package or would consider working out a trade for a Triton, Omni, Delta, or Argosy. I want something with a little more output. (the only qrp rig I would consider is a K1) Let me know what you might have to trade if you're interested.

Thanks

Tim

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